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1. An airfield with many buildings on its eastern section was located south of LUKINO (37°56' E/55°50' N).
2. About two hundred to three hundred aircraft, which seemed to be new, were parked at the eastern border of the field.

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Previous reports confirmed that an ordnance office of the Soviet Air Force was located near BALASHIKHA. From this report it is inferred that two hundred to three hundred seemingly new aircraft, whose types could not be determined, were probably parked at the airfield. This information indicates that the Soviets do not take any measures to stock and preserve auxiliary aircraft; thus a high rate of wear and tear in aircraft seems to be taken into account by the Soviets.

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